

SENATE BILL 2968

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 62,
Chapter 9, relative to beer kegs.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 62, Chapter 9, Part 1, is amended by adding the following language as a new section thereto:

62-9-1__.

(a) No scrap metal dealer shall knowingly purchase or possess a metal beer keg, whether damaged or undamaged, or any reasonably recognizable part thereof, on any premises that the dealer uses to buy, sell, store, shred, melt, cut or otherwise alter scrap metal.

(b)

(1) A violation of this section is a Class A misdemeanor punishable by fine only.

(2) Nothing in this section shall be construed to preclude a person violating this section from also being prosecuted for any applicable criminal offense.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.